

HOW THE WRECK HAPPENED.

Captain Le Ballister's Account of the Marine Disaster.

THE VESSEL CARRIED NO INSURANCE.

Kapoho Point Was Taken for Kalae—No Chance to Land at the Scene of Wreck on Account of High Seas Encountered by the Destroyed Hilo.

On the morning of February 27th the barkentine Hilo went ashore near Keauhou, a point on Hawaii, about twenty-five miles northeast of Punaluu. She afterward proved to be a total loss. A full account of the wreck appeared in the ADVERTISER as soon as the news reached this city. Some additional facts were gained last night in an interview with J. E. Le Ballister, the master of the vessel.

The captain and his wife arrived Wednesday on the steamer W.G. Hall, and are registered at the Arlington Hotel. Both are in good health, and are glad that they escaped the hardships attendant on shipwrecks. Mrs. Le Ballister is a most pleasant woman to meet, and, although she greatly regrets the destruction of her husband's handsome vessel, she feels more keenly the loss of her library and personal effects, which took her years to gather. The captain feels more disconsolate as a number of his friends owned shares in the vessel, and, as she was uninsured, every dollar invested in her is lost.

The ADVERTISER'S account of the wreck was substantially correct, with the exception that it did not give the exact reason for the cause of the disaster. It turns out that Kapoho Point was taken for Kalae and this error was the immediate cause of the loss of the vessel. The captain is anxious to correct a wrong impression in regard to a statement made by a local paper. The statement in question was to the effect that he was about two hundred miles out of his course, while as a matter of fact he was but three miles out of the way. In speaking of the loss of the vessel, he said:

"On February 26th, at 10:30 p. m., we made land on the port bow, while the starboard watch was on duty. We hauled up close on the wind and headed north east by north. This caused us to run along parallel with the land until I was afraid that the vessel would get on a lee shore, so I backed the ship and then headed her south until midnight. We then kept off south-west, and about 3 a. m., on February 27th, the mate called me and said that the wind had changed, and that they would have to jibe. I immediately went on deck and after seeing that everything was all right, I gave the course north-west by west from a point that I took to be to the westward of the right course, as I wished to clear everything and to keep a little distance from the land so as not to get becalmed.

"After giving the course I went below and laid down without taking off my clothes. Just previous to leaving the deck I could see quite a distance ahead but could not discern any signs of land. I naturally felt quite safe and you can imagine my surprise when at 4 o'clock I heard the men on deck cry out 'breakers ahead.' It took me but a moment to reach the deck and at a glance I saw that the vessel was lost as the breakers did not look to be more than two lengths away. My prediction was right, as but a few moments elapsed when the vessel struck hard and fast with bows on.

"After taking a survey of the situation I saw there was no chance of getting ashore alive, as the beach was very rocky and the surf was very high, and to make the situation more hazardous a southerly storm was brewing. Taking every thing into consideration I concluded that nothing could be saved from the vessel, so we launched the long boat and the entire crew of twelve people with myself and wife jumped in and started for Honolulu.

"We took but a small portion of our necessary apparel and some soda crackers and a keg of water. The morning was cold and the rain came down in torrents and to add to our discomfort the sea was in a choppy condition. The boat being heavily laden, she naturally took in much water, and one man was kept busily engaged bailing it out.

"There was no wind and four men were put at the oars, with relief at short intervals. We thought that we would never find a landing place, but at last we fetched up at Punaluu buoy. You know the rest of the story."

Before concluding his statement Captain Le Ballister said that the cause of the loss of the vessel was that he took Kapoho for Kalae Point. The captain and his wife will remain in town for about two weeks before leaving for San Francisco. They are both loud in their praises of W. P. Fenell and Mr. Stone of Punaluu, who did everything they could for the comfort of the entire party.

Three days is a very short time in which to cure a bad case of rheumatism; but it can be done, if the proper treatment is adopted, as will be seen by the following from James Lambert, of New Brunswick, Ill.: "I was badly afflicted with rheumatism in the hips and legs, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It cured me in three days. I am all right to day; and would insist on every one who is afflicted with that terrible disease to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm and get well at once." 50 cent bottles for sale by all dealers. BENSON, SMITH & Co., Agents for H. I.

THE CROWN LANDS.

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Curtis P. Iaukea, the Commissioner of Crown Lands, is preparing an exhaustive report on the lands of which he has control. This is something that has never before been presented to the public, as the lands have heretofore been entirely under control of the reigning monarch, the income derived from them being devoted to his private use.

The report will embrace a list of all the lands that were formerly under control of the monarch, and an account of the income derived from them. This income now amounts to nearly \$50,000 a year, but should be more. A great portion of the land was leased many years ago, at rentals that, in the present development of the country, are ridiculously low. But as a number of these leases are expiring every year, the Government income from them is steadily increasing. The report will probably appear before the end of this month and will be a most complete and interesting document.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

Matters Discussed at Its Regular Weekly Meeting.

The Board of Health met Wednesday afternoon, with President Smith in the chair. There were present members Ena, Lansing and Miner and Dr. Myers, Agent C. B. Reynolds and R. W. Meyer, the superintendent of the leper settlement.

The principal matter under discussion was the matter of continuing the treatment of Dr. Goto at the settlement. The doctor was engaged until the last of this month, when his time expires. As the natives have great confidence in his ability to cure them, some of the members are of the opinion that it would be expedient to re-engage him. As it is not absolutely necessary that he should be there to administer the medicines, however, it was proposed that he should only go to the settlement once a quarter, to see that his patients were using the remedies correctly. A petition signed by sixty-five of the lepers under his care was read, asking that he be retained. The matter went over until next week's meeting.

Hamakua Notes.

HONOKAA, March 12.—The rain has continued. Yesterday morning it rained quite hard, and again rain fell last night. All the gulches have been flowing, and the Honokaa ditch from Waimea has been flowing for four days, consequently the roads are in a wretched condition.

The Waialeale, on account of the rain, has not been able to take in any sugar, consequently she has deferred her departure till this afternoon.

The Claudine left last Saturday. Mr. Charles Day, who intended to take charge of Theo. H. Davies' store here, returned on her.

A poster signed by George H. Williams, of Hilo, Sheriff of Hawaii, announces \$100 reward for information that will lead to the conviction of the person or persons who robbed the Honokaa store on the night of the 16th or 17th of last month.

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